

Remarks

The Applicant thanks the Examiner for the thoughtful consideration of the pending claims. The Applicant further appreciates the indication set forth in the Official Action that Claims 2-13, 15, 17, 19, 20 and 22 are allowable.

Independent Claims 1, 18 and 21 have been rejected over Jones, either alone or in combination with Himmelstein or Grimes. Claims 1, 18 and 21 have been cancelled without prejudice to re-presenting those claims in a continuing application in order to expedite allowance of this application. Dependent Claims 14 and 16 have been amended to depend from allowable independent Claim 5. Therefore, Claims 14 and 16 are also allowable for at least the same reasons as those previously set forth with respect to Claim 5.

It is believed that the application is now in condition for allowance, which action is earnestly solicited. If the Examiner believes that further minor amendment or corrections as to matters of form would advance the application, the Examiner is invited to telephone the Applicant's undersigned representative.

Respectfully submitted,



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